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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PORG, SHUM, UNESCO
SUBJECT: UNESCO: DUMITRESCU

REFS: (A) STATE 079039, (B) STATE 063345

1. AMBASSADOR SAW DG M'BOW MARCH 28 AND DISCUSSED WHAT
FURTHER ACTION MIGHT BE TAKEN IN AID OF DUMITRESCU.

2. M'BOW SAID THE BEST THING AT THIS TIME WOULD BE TO
HAVE AMBASSADOR AGGREY MAKE A QUIET APPROACH TO GOR
URGING THAT IT SETTLE THIS DIFFICULT QUESTION. WHEN
AMBASSADOR NOTED THAT WE ARE CONSIDERING A LETTER TO
ANA, M'BOW SAID THAT WE SHOULD NOT SEND A LETTER TO
THE GOR, BUT AN ORAL APPROACH WOULD BE APPROPRIATE.
HE SAID THAT THE ROMANIAN FOREIGN MINISTER, TOP
SECURITY OFFICIALS, AND OTHER TOP OFFICIALS CONNECTED
WITH THE ORIGINAL DECISIONS ON DUMITRESCU HAD BEEN
CHANGED, AND BECAUSE OF THESE CHANGES A QUIET U.S.
INTERVENTION MIGHT PRODUCE RESULTS. HE SAID THAT OUR
PROVIDING ANA WITH A LETTER WOULD NOT INTERFERE WITH
HIS EFFORTS, BUT HE SAID THAT SHE SHOULD BE REQUESTED
NOT TO GIVE THE LETTER TO THE PRESS.

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3. IN RESPONSE TO OUR DIRECT QUESTION AS TO WHAT HE
OR THE UNESCO EXECUTIVE BOARD COULD DO AT THIS POINT,
HE SAID THAT THERE WAS VERY LITTLE. HE AND THE
BOARD HAD DONE WHAT THEY COULD WITHOUT RESULTS. HE
SAID THAT "PERHAPS," HE MIGHT ASK CHAIRMAN LEN MARTIN
TO HAVE THE BOARD CONSIDER AN APPEAL TO THE INTER-

NATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE. HIS TONE IN DISCUSSING
UNESCO'S PRESENT OPTIONS WAS RESTRAINED AND NOT
OPTIMISTIC.

4. PARA. FIVE REFTEL B INDICATES THAT THE LETTER THE
DEPARTMENT IS CONTEMPLATING SENDING TO ANA WOULD BE
SIGNED BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY MAYNES. WE HAVE NOT YET
RECEIVED SUCH LETTER, AND WE WOULD URGE THAT THE
WORDING "AND WE UNDERSTAND THAT UNESCO INTENDS TO
PURSUE THE MATTER VIGOROUSLY." BE DELETED. IT WAS
CLEAR FROM M'BOW'S REMARKS TODAY THAT HE DOES NOT FEEL
UNESCO CAN ACT VIGOROUSLY AT THIS TIME.
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